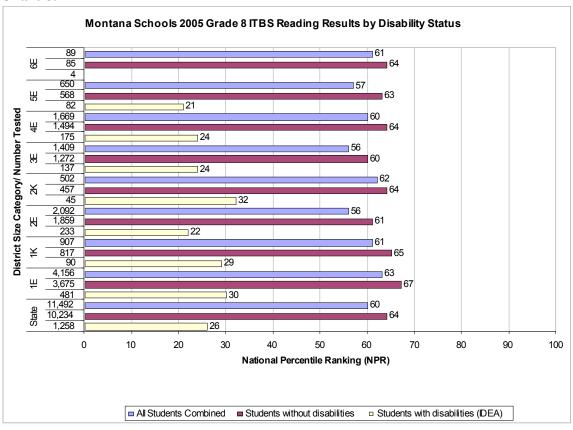
Chart 8.1 R



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1. All students

• The Reading NPR for all Montana grade 8 students is the same as 2004, 60%.

2. Students without disabilities

Statewide, the NPR for students without disabilities is 64%, the same as in 2004. That number is relatively stable with most district size categories plus or minus 3-4 percentage points.

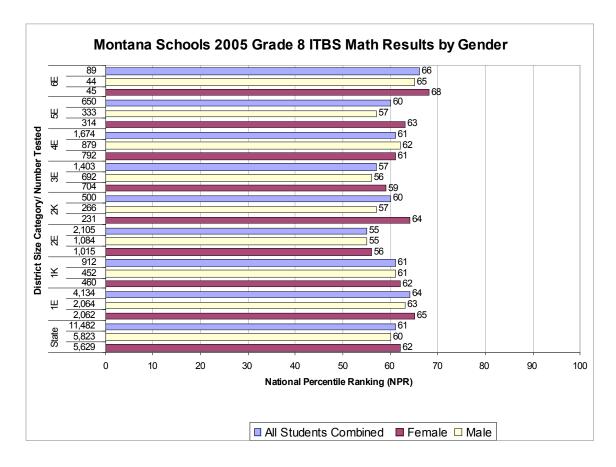
3. Students with disabilities

• Statewide, the NPR for students with disabilities is two percentage points lower than in 2004 at 26%. That number is relatively stable with most district size categories at plus or minus 2-5 points except size category 2K where the number of students with disabilities tested is too small for comparisons.

4. Comparisons

• Statewide, Montana students without disabilities scored 38 percentage points above students with disabilities, 64% and 26% respectively. That number is relatively stable with most district size categories at plus or minus 4-5 points.

Chart 8.2 R



1. All students

■ The Reading NPR for all Montana grade 8 students is 60%.

2. Female students

Statewide, the NPR for female students is 62%, one percentage point higher than in 2004. That number is stable with most district size categories plus or minus 2-4 percentage points except district size categories 2E and 6E. In district size category 2E, female students averaged 56%. In 6E, the number of female students tested is too small for comparisons.

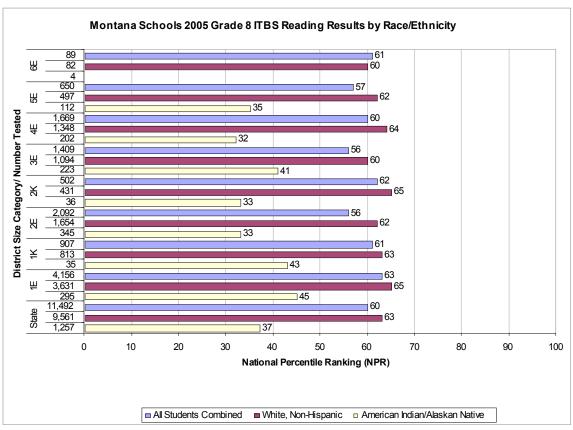
3. Male students

• Statewide, the NPR for male students is 60%, one percentage point higher than in 2004. That number is stable with most district size categories plus or minus 2-4 percentage points except district size category 2E in which male students averaged 55%.

4. Comparisons

Statewide, female students scored two percentage points above male students.
That number is stable.

Chart 8.3 R



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1. All students

■ The Reading NPR for all Montana grade 8 students is 60%.

2. Native American students

• Statewide, the NPR for Native American students is 37%, one percentage point lower than in 2004. That number is relatively stable with most districts within 4-6 percentage points except 1E district size category where Native American average is 45%.

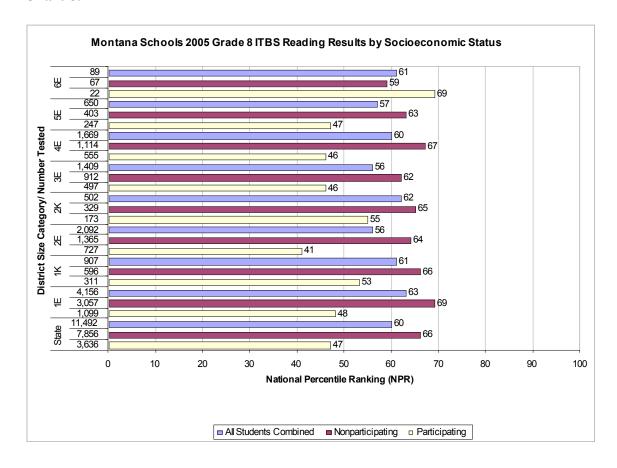
3. White students

• Statewide, the NPR for White students is 63%, the same as in 2004. That number is stable with most districts within 2-4 percentage points.

4. Comparisons

 Statewide, Montana White students scored 26 percentage points above Native American students, 63% and 37% respectively.

Chart 8.4 R



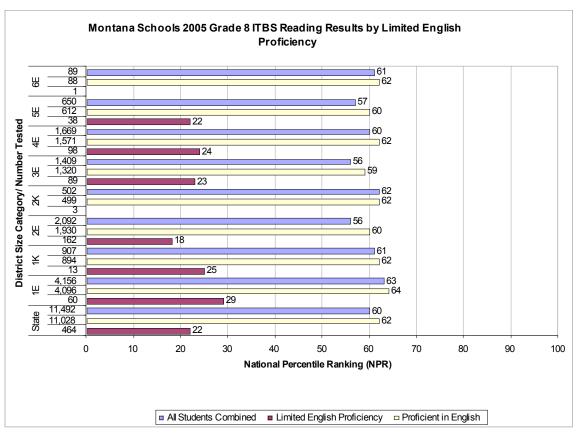
1. All students

- The Reading NPR for all Montana grade 8 students is 60%
- 2. Students participating in free/reduced lunch programs
 - Statewide, the NPR for students participating in free/reduced lunch programs is 47%, one percentage point below 2004. That number is relatively stable with most district size categories scoring within plus or minus 4-6 percentage points except size category 2K where participating students averaged 55% and 6E where the number of participating students is too small for comparisons.
- 3. Students not participating in free/reduced lunch programs
 - Statewide, the NPR for students not participating in free/reduced lunch programs is 66%, the same as in 2004. That number is stable with most district size categories within plus or minus 2-4 percentage points except size category 6E which averaged 59%.

4. Comparisons

 Statewide, non participating Montana students scored nineteen percentage points higher than students participating in free/reduced lunch programs, 66% and 47% respectively.

Chart 8.5 R



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1. All students

- The Reading NPR for all Montana grade 8 students is 60%.
- 2. Students with limited English proficiency (LEP)
 - Statewide, the NPR for LEP students is 22%, two percentage points below 2004. The NPR scores vary among school size categories because the number of LEP students tested also varies.

3. Comparisons

 Statewide, all Montana students scored 38 percentage points higher than limited English proficient students. That number is relatively stable when the number of LEP students tested is sufficient for comparison.